



# Prizes and Scholarships

## Winners, 2004–2005



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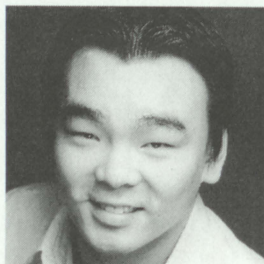
## The top five awards for the year 2004/05

### **THE QUEEN'S COMMENDATION FOR EXCELLENCE**

*The gift of Her Majesty the Queen, Patron of the Royal Academy of Music*

*For the best all-round student of the year*

**Seung-Wook Seong**



### **HER ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCESS ALICE'S PRIZE**

*The gift of Her Royal Highness Princess Alice, Duchess of Gloucester,*

*President of the Royal Academy of Music (1942–85)*

*For exemplary studentship*

**Simone Lamsma**





### **PRINCIPAL'S PRIZE**

The gift of the Principal of the Royal Academy of Music  
For exceptional all-round studentship

**Yevgeny Sudbin**



### **EDWIN SAMUEL DOVE PRIZE**

For special merit during studentship

**Timothy Orpen**



### **FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**

For special merit during studentship

**Thomas Gould**



*All awards marked with \* are made on behalf of the Principal  
at the discretion of the Bursary Committee*

### **ASSOCIATED BOARD OF THE ROYAL SCHOOLS OF MUSIC**

*For outstanding new UK/EU Postgraduate and Undergraduate students*

**Etienne Cutajar** (Undergraduate)

**Eurico Pereira** (Postgraduate)

### **ASSOCIATED BOARD OF THE ROYAL SCHOOLS OF MUSIC**

*For outstanding overseas Postgraduate and Undergraduate students*

**Diana Alexandru** (Undergraduate)

**Petr Limonov** (Undergraduate)

**Linda Lin** (Undergraduate)

**Helena Dix** (Postgraduate)

**Rostislav Krimer** (Postgraduate)

### **LARRY ADLER PRIZE\***

*Founded 2003 in memory of Larry Adler, exponent of the Mouth Organ*

*For any excellent and deserving musician*

**Milos Karadaglic**

### **ALFRED ALEXANDER SCHOLARSHIP\***

*Founded in 1988 in memory of Alfred Alexander,*

*Honorary Laryngologist of the Royal Academy of Music*

*For a Postgraduate Singer (to be awarded, on rotation, to a student of the  
Royal Academy of Music, Royal College of Music and Royal Northern College of Music)*

*awarded to a student from the Royal College of Music*

### **AMADEUS SCHOLARSHIP**

*For an outstanding String Quartet player*

**Ashok Klouda**



## **LUDMILLA ANDREW RUSSIAN SONG PRIZE COMPETITION**

*Founded in 1997 by Miss Ludmilla Andrew*

*Annual Competition, to encourage performance of Russian vocal repertoire*

**Toko Harayama**  
**Kishani Jayasinghe**  
**Viktor Rud**  
**Wei-En Shu** (Piano Accompaniment)

## **ASHOVER FESTIVAL PRIZE**

*Founded in 1987 by the Ashover Festival Committee*

*For an outstanding first year student of the Double Bass*

**Joseph Melvin**

## **CRAIG BALL JAZZ AWARD\***

*Founded in 1993 by Mr F L Archer as a tribute to his musician friend, Craig Ball*

**David Shulman**

## **BEARE PRIZE\***

*Gold-mounted violin bow made and presented to the Academy by*

*Messrs John and Arthur Beare*

*For Violin*

**Dominika Rosiek**

## **JAMES BLADES BURSARY\***

*Instituted in 1999 by the Britten-Pears Foundation in memory of James Blades,*

*former Professor and Honorary Member of the Royal Academy of Music*

*For a Percussion student at audition*

**Ignacio Molins Bosch**

## **DORIS ETHEL BLAKE PRIZE FUND\***

*Founded in 2003 in memory of Mrs Doris Ethel Blake*

*For British first year Undergraduate students*

*specialising in the fields of Accompaniment or Sight-reading*

**Ellena Hale**

### **NICHOLAS BLAKE PRIZE COMPETITION**

*Founded by subscription in 1969 in memory of Nicholas Blake, student  
Annual, for a Wind Instrument Ensemble*

**Christopher Moyse  
Hanne Akselsen  
Jocelyn Lightfoot  
Richard Turner  
Daniel Sorensen**

### **SIR ARTHUR BLISS PRIZE COMPETITION**

*Founded in 1996 by the Bliss Trust  
For the performance of music by Sir Arthur Bliss*

**Pedro Meireles**

### **JULIAN BREAM PRIZE COMPETITION**

*The gift of Julian Bream CBE, Honorary Member  
Annual Competition, for Guitar*

**Milos Karadaglic**

### **THE KENNETH SIDNEY BRINDLE AWARD\***

*Founded in 1998 by bequest of the late Kenneth Brindle  
For Keyboard*

**Yurie Miura**

### **ARTHUR BURCHER MEMORIAL PRIZES**

*Founded in 1979 and 1984 by Mr Roy Burcher  
(Examinations Manager of the Royal Academy of Music 1971–87),  
in memory of his late father  
Awarded to the best candidate in Singing, Years One, Two and Three  
at the Annual Examinations*

**Debbie Clarke (Year 1)**

**Ana Ramirez (Year 2)**

**Anna Huntley (Year 3)**



### **THE IRENE BURCHER MEMORIAL PRIZES**

*Founded in 1995 by Mr Roy Burcher in memory of his mother, Irene Burcher  
For a deserving student on the Church Music Course*

**Mihaela Goje**

*For Woodwind Playing at Final Recital*

**Timothy Orpen**

### **BLYTH WATSON CHARITABLE TRUST AWARDS**

*The gift of the Blyth Watson Charitable Trust*

**Milos Karadaglic**

**Stanislav Hvartchilkov**

### **ALAN BUSH COMPOSITION PRIZE COMPETITION**

*Founded in 1998 by bequest of the Alan Bush Music Trust  
in memory of Alan Bush, student and Professor*

**Philippe Kocher**

### **LOUISE CHILD MEMORIAL PRIZE\***

*Founded in 1979 by George and David Child  
For an outstanding BMus student*

**Simone Lamsma**

### **WINIFRED CHRISTIE SCHOLARSHIP\***

*For outstanding Pianists*

**Daniel Hill**

**Yurie Miura**

### **CITY LIVERY CLUB PRIZES\***

*The donation of the Music Section of the City Livery Club*

**Benjamin Cunningham**

**Julia Riley**

**Qian Wu**

### **CLIFTON PRIZE**

*Founded in 1981, the gift of Mr Roy Burcher  
(Royal Academy of Music Examinations Manager 1971–87)  
For Singing in Final Recitals*

**April Frederick**

### **CORK FUND AWARDS**

*Founded in 1993 to assist worthy students*

**Maria Demeter  
Alexandros Koustas**

### **CRANSHAW CORPORATION BURSARY\***

*Founded in 2002 by Robert MacDonald*

*For deserving American students*

**Chilali Hugo  
Michael McBride**

### **HAROLD CRAXTON PRIZE**

*Awarded to an ensemble*

**Simone Lamsma  
Tadsuke Iijima  
Ashok Klouda  
Yurie Miura**

### **JANET CRAXTON PRIZE\***

*Awarded to a deserving oboist*

**Lauren Weavers**

### **ELSE AND LEONARD CROSS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP\***

*For an outstanding Pianist*

**Qian Wu**

### **THE DELIUS PRIZE**

*Founded in 2004 by the Delius Society*

*For the performance of works by Delius*

**David Worswick**

### **BENJAMIN DONIGER JAZZ AWARDS\***

*Founded in 1982 by Mr F L Archer as a tribute to his friend Benjamin Doniger*

**John Blease  
Benjamin Bryant  
John Calvert  
Arthur Lea**



### **DRAPERS' COMPANY AWARDS\***

*Donated by the Henry Dixon's Foundation for Apprenticing  
For British students*

**Alasdair Kelly**  
**Charne Rochford**

### **ANN DRIVER TRUST Award\***

*The gift of the Ann Driver Trust  
For any deserving student from the United Kingdom*

**Thomas Barber**

### **VIVIAN DUNN PRIZE\***

*Founded in 1946, the gift of Lieutenant Colonel Sir Vivian Dunn, KCVO, OBE, Fellow  
Endowed in 1996 by Lady Dunn  
For Orchestral Playing*

**Etienne Cutajar**

### **GERSHON ELLENBOGEN MACCABAEAN MUSIC AWARD\***

*Founded in 2004 by bequest of the late Mr Gershon Ellenbogen  
To be awarded to a student of deserving merit*

**Christopher Cooper**

### **ELTON JOHN SCHOLARSHIPS\***

*First awarded in 2004  
For outstanding British Students*

**Alan Clayton**  
**Linda Kidwell**  
**Hugh Pascall**  
**Christopher White**

### **Mark Elliot Awards\***

*The gift of Mark Elliot  
For Brass students*

**Hanne Akselsen**  
**Jocelyn Lightfoot**  
**Kira Doherty**

**FISHMONGERS' COMPANY SCHOLARSHIP\***

*The gift of the Worshipful Company of Fishmongers  
Fees award for an outstanding British student*

**Julia Riley**

**FRIENDS OF THE ROYAL ACADEMY OF MUSIC  
EARLY MUSIC PRIZE**

*Originally founded in 1980 and now supported  
by the Friends of the Royal Academy of Music*

**Soile Pylkkönen**

**Eleanor Harris**

**Natasha Kraemer**

**Otto Choi**

**ALICE GAMBLE PRIZE\***

*Founded in 1996 by Alice Knight Adams  
For the best Mezzo Soprano or Contralto*

**Clara Mouriz**

**ELENA GERHARDT LIEDER PRIZE COMPETITION\***

*Founded in 1963 by gift of the late Miss Mary Baker, in memory of Elena Gerhardt  
Annual Competition, for Singing and Piano Accompaniment*

**Lucie Spikova**

**Joseph Middleton**

**THE GILLING FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP\***

*Founded in 1999 in memory of Beatrice and Albert Gilling  
and Jill Rowlands (née Lucy Gilling)*

*For a musically outstanding postgraduate pianist from Britain or Europe*

**Marco Fatichenti**



### **GREENWICH AWARDS\***

*Founded in 2002 by an anonymous donor  
For an overseas student of Piano, voice or strings or any needy student*

**Antoine Bedewi  
Dustin Gledhill  
Naoko Miyamoto**

### **DOROTHY GRINSTEAD MEMORIAL PRIZE\***

*A gift from the Dorothy Grinstead Memorial Fund  
in memory of Dorothy Grinstead, Student  
For an outstanding continuing postgraduate student*

**Michael McBride**

### **THE H L HAMMOND PRIZE COMPETITION**

*Founded in 1995 by Angela and Mary Hammond in memory of their father  
For Verse Speaking*

**Claire Stout  
Gabriel Vick**

### **GEOFFREY HAWKES PRIZE COMPETITION**

*The gift of Mr Geoffrey Hawkes  
For Clarinet*

**David Rowden**

### **HSBC AWARD\***

*Donated by HSBC  
For an outstanding student*

**Qian Wu (violin)**

### **ESTHER HULBERT AWARD\***

*For a Singer from the Commonwealth*

**Robert Anderson**

### **JOHN IRELAND PRIZE COMPETITION**

*Founded in 1978 by the John Ireland Trust*

**Dimitry Rasul-Kareyev**  
**Pavel Timofejevsky**

### **FREDERIC JACKSON PRIZE\***

*Founded in 1973 by subscription in memory of the late*

*Frederic Jackson, Professor and Fellow*

*Enhanced in 1999 by his wife, the late Margot MacGibbon, Student  
For Piano*

**Elsbeth Wyllie**

### **THE ISABEL JAY MEMORIAL PRIZE\***

*Founded in 2004 in memory of Isabel Jay*

*Awarded to a deserving singing student*

**Lisa Crosato**

### **THE MAIDA JONES AWARD\***

*Endowed in 1999 by Hugh Stanley Jones in memory of his wife,*

*Hannah Maida Bronwen Jones*

*For a Welsh Vocalist*

**Fflur Wyn**

### **THE HOMI KANGA MEMORIAL PRIZE\***

*Founded in 2004 in memory of Homi Kanga*

*For an outstanding third year violin student*

**Mia Kobayashi**

### **THE DOUGLAS KEEBLE DOUBLE BASS AWARD\***

*Founded in 1997 in memory of Douglas Keeble*

*For committed orchestral playing*

**Claire Whitson**



**DANIEL KELLY PRIZE\***

*Founded in 1987 with a generous donation from Mr Thomas Baptiste  
For Piano Accompaniment*

**Joseph Middleton**

**THE KOBLER AWARD\***

*For an outstanding Postgraduate overseas student*

**Tanya Gabrielian**

**VIVIAN LANGRISH PRIZE**

*For the best candidate in Piano, Year Three*

**Daniel Swain**

**KENNEDY LEIGH CHARITABLE TRUST AWARDS\***

*The gift of the Kennedy Leigh Charitable Trust*

*Founded in 1998*

*For Israeli students*

**Daniel Cohen**

**LEVERHULME TRUST JUNIOR ACADEMY BURSARIES\***

*Awarded to outstanding Junior Academy students*

**Galya Bisengalieva**

**Dah-Eun Chae**

**Isabella Cheevers**

**Freya Creech**

**James Elston**

**Mayah Kadish**

**Anna Luffman**

**Radhika de Saram**

**Alasdair Warwick**

**LEVERHULME TRUST CHAMBER MUSIC  
FELLOWSHIPS\***

Awarded to outstanding Ensembles

Artea Quartet  
Badke Quartet  
Camarilla Ensemble  
Lawson Trio

**LEVERHULME TRUST POSTGRADUATE STUDENTSHIPS**

For exceptional postgraduate students

Ronan Collett  
Yuri Chubarenko  
Mei-Yi Foo  
Jonas Gudmundsso  
Ye-Eun Jang  
Thomas Lessels  
Inju Oh  
Laura Parfitt  
Stuart Semple  
Daniel Sorensen  
Feliz Tanner  
Matgorzata Ziemkiewicz

**LEVERHULME TRUST COMPOSITION FELLOWSHIP**

For an exceptional composition student

Jordan Hunt

**THE JOHN McASLAN PRIZE\***

*Founded in 2000*

For any deserving student

Yevgeny Sudbin



### **RAFFY MANOUKIAN SCHOLARSHIPS**

*Founded in 2002*

For deserving students of Armenian extraction

**Ani Batikian**

**Tanya Gabrielian**

### **DAVID MARTIN/FLORENCE HOOTON CONCERTO PRIZE COMPETITION**

*Founded in 1984 in memory of*

*David Martin, Student, Fellow and Professor, and subsequently  
in memory of Florence Hooton, Student, Fellow and Professor*

*Annual Competition for the Playing of a Concerto  
(Violin and Cello on alternating years)*

**Aya Sanada**

### **MARYLEBONE STUDENT AWARDS\***

*Awarded from the Marylebone Educational Foundation*

*For any deserving students*

**Lianna Jeffery**

**Jennifer Bacon**

**Jonathan Stone**

**Jamie Pringle**

**Amy Cardigan**

### **RICHARD MEREWETHER AWARD\***

*Founded in 1986 by Edward Merewether, in memory of his brother*

*For an outstanding student of the Horn*

**Etta Morgan**

### **THE MONTEFIORE PRIZE\***

*Founded in 1998 by Mrs Doris Montefiore*

*in memory of her father-in-law, Victor, student*

*For a first-year student of Cello*

**Vashti Hunter**

## **THE MORTIMER DEVELOPMENT AWARDS**

*The gift of the Friends of the Royal Academy of Music*

*For career development*

**Benjamin Bryant**

**Emily Cavey**

**Julie Coucheron**

**Mihaela Goje**

**Stanislav Hvartchilov**

**Kishai Jayasinghe**

**Pedro Meireles**

**The Metier Trio**

**Khae-Uyen Nguyen**

**Jacobo Rodriguez Garcia**

**Jasmin Samssuli**

**Yevgeny Sudbin**

**German Garcia Vargas**

**Artem Vassiliev**

## **EMI MUSIC SOUND FOUNDATION BURSARIES\***

*For British students under the age of 25*

**Joseph Middleton**

**Jody Moore**

**Shulah Oliver**

## **JONATHAN MYALL PICCOLO PRIZE**

*Founded in 2005 by Jonathan Myall*

*For Piccolo players*

**Jenny Doyne**

**Lindsay Leach**

## **CLARENCE MYERSCOUGH TRUST PRIZE\***

*Founded in 2002 in memory of*

*Clarence Myerscough, Student, Professor and Fellow*

*For a deserving Violin Student*

**Thomas Gould**



**ZARA NELSOVA CELLO SCHOLARSHIP\***

*Founded in 2004 in memory of Zara Nelsova*

*For an outstanding Cellist*

**Jonathan Deakin**

**NOSWAD AWARD\***

*Founded in 1993 by the NOSWAD Charitable Trust*

*For a Postgraduate Pianist*

**Michael McHale**

**IDLOES OWEN PRIZE\***

*Founded in 1957 in memory of Idloes Owen*

*For a student born in Wales*

**Etta Morgan**

**SCOTT PHILBRICK JAZZ AWARD\***

*Founded in 1988 by Mr F L Archer, as a tribute to his musician friend*

*Mr Scott Philbrick*

*For Jazz Trumpet or Guitar*

**Hugh Pascall**

**PICKER TRUST AWARDS\***

*Founded in 1995 by the Stanley Picker Charitable Trust*

*For worthy students*

**Milissa Doecke**

**Matthew Harrison**

**Yevgeny Sudbin**

**Anna Wirdefeldt**

**ETHEL LILIAN PILCHER PRIZE FUND\***

*Founded in 2003 by bequest in memory of Mrs Ethel Lilian Pilcher*

*For any UK student specialising in the fields of*

*Accompaniment or Sight-reading*

**Christopher White**

**CHRISTOPHER RAE SCHOLARSHIP\***

*Founded in 2001 by Mrs Madeleine Rae  
in memory of her late husband, a Junior Exhibitioner  
For Piano*

**Elizabeth French**

**RAM CLUB PRIZE**

*Founded in 1988 and supported by the RAM Club*

**Thomas Gould**

**OPERA RARA BEL CANTO PRIZE**

*Founded in 2003 to introduce students to the art of Bel Canto singing*

**Seung-Wook Seong**

**RAYNE FOUNDATION AWARDS\***

*Founded in 1996*

*For outstanding students*

**Milos Karadaglic**

**Michael McBride**

**THE WILLIAM RAYNER SCHOLARSHIP\***

*Founded in 1999 by Mrs Frances Clarke and Dr Elizabeth Laverick  
in memory of their father*

*For a deserving student*

**Robert Anderson**

**DAVID RICHARDS MEMORIAL PRIZE\***

*Founded in 2003 in memory of*

*David Richards, Governor of the Royal Academy of Music*

*For a deserving student*

**Alexandra Davidson**



**ROSE ROITMAN AWARD\***

*Founded in 1993 by Mr F L Archer  
as a tribute to his friends Aaron and Rose Roitman  
For a Classical String Player*

**Louisa Tuck**

**ROSS-GOOBEY SCHOLARSHIP\***

*The gift of Mr Alastair Ross-Goobey*

**Andrew Harper**

**SAINSBURY SCHOLARSHIP\***

*Founded in 2002 by Lady Sainsbury of Turville  
For worthy students*

**Milos Milivojevic**

**Dimitry Rasul-Kareyev**

**SOPHIE'S SILVER LINING FUND AWARD\***

*Donated by Sophie's Silver Lining Fund in memory of Sophie Large  
For an outstanding Opera student*

**Viktor Rud**

**SOUTH SQUARE TRUST AWARDS\***

*Founded in 2002  
For a British student*

**Jenny Doyne**

**Eleanor Harrison**

**Philip Richardson**

**WILLIAM THOMAS STEPHEN AWARD\***

*Founded in 1999 by Mrs Margot Chamberlin  
For a deserving Trumpet student*

**Emma Pritchard**

**RANK STOKES & HILDA & MARJORIE MEYER MEMORIAL  
PRIZE\***

*Donated by the Alan Bush Trust*

*Awarded to a student who has shown outstanding skills in Sight Reading*

**Petr Limonov**

**THE STROMA SUTHERLAND AWARD\***

*Founded in 1997 in memory of Stroma Sutherland, student*

*For piano and another discipline in alternate years*

**Chia Ying Hsu**

**CHRIS TAYLOR FLUTE AWARD**

*Founded in 1997 by Top Wind in memory of Chris Taylor, Professor*

*For an outstanding flautist*

**Jane Mitchell**

**REGINALD THATCHER PRIZE**

*Founded by Mrs Diana Trollope*

*in memory of her father, Sir Reginald Thatcher,  
former Principal of the Royal Academy of Music*

*For a deserving student*

**Joe Zeitlin**

**THE TILLET TRUST AWARD\***

*For an outstanding Postgraduate student*

**Mei-Yi Foo**

**MAY TURTLE GIFT\***

*Founded in 1963 by Mrs May Campbell MBE, Fellow*

*For Aural Training*

**Petr Limonov**



**UNITED MUSIC PUBLISHERS ENSEMBLE PRIZE\***

*The gift of United Music Publishers  
Awarded to a deserving student of the organ*

**Eleni Kventsidou**

**CHARLES VESTEY MEMORIAL AWARD\***

*Founded in 1993  
For a deserving Vocal student*

**April Frederick**

**JENNIFER VYVYAN SCHOLARSHIP\***

*Founded in 1978 by Mr Leon Crown in memory of his wife, Jennifer, RAM student and  
Fellow*

*For Singing*

**Bentina Tryggvadottir**

**JOHN WALTON AWARD\***

*Founded in 1993 by Dorothy and Patricia Walton  
in memory of John Walton, Student, Fellow and Professor  
For a student of the Double Bass*

**Alice Durrant**

**ERIC AND JACQUELINE WARNE SCHOLARSHIP\***

*Founded in 2002 by Mr and Mrs Warne  
For outstanding Singers*

**Robert Anderson**

**JO WEINBERG FLUTE AWARD\***

*Founded in 2002 in memory of Jo Weinberg  
For a deserving Flute student*

**Melissa Doecke**

**GUY WHALLEY ORGAN PRIZE\***

*Founded in 2003 by Mr Guy Whalley,  
past Chairman of the Academy's Governing Body  
For a British or EU Undergraduate student of the Organ*

**Jessica Cottis**

**RONALD WILLIAM WHITE AWARD**

*For Musical Theatre Students*

**Alison Guill**

**John Moore**

**THE WIGMORE AWARD**

*The Gift of the Friends of the Royal Academy of Music  
to provide a recital in London's Wigmore Hall*

**Mei-Yi Foo**

**BRENDA WEBB PRIZE**

*Founded in 2004*

*For the Accompanist of a Singer in the  
Richard Lewis/Jean Shanks Prize Competition*

**Joseph Middleton**

**ZILDJIAN CYMBAL PRIZES\***

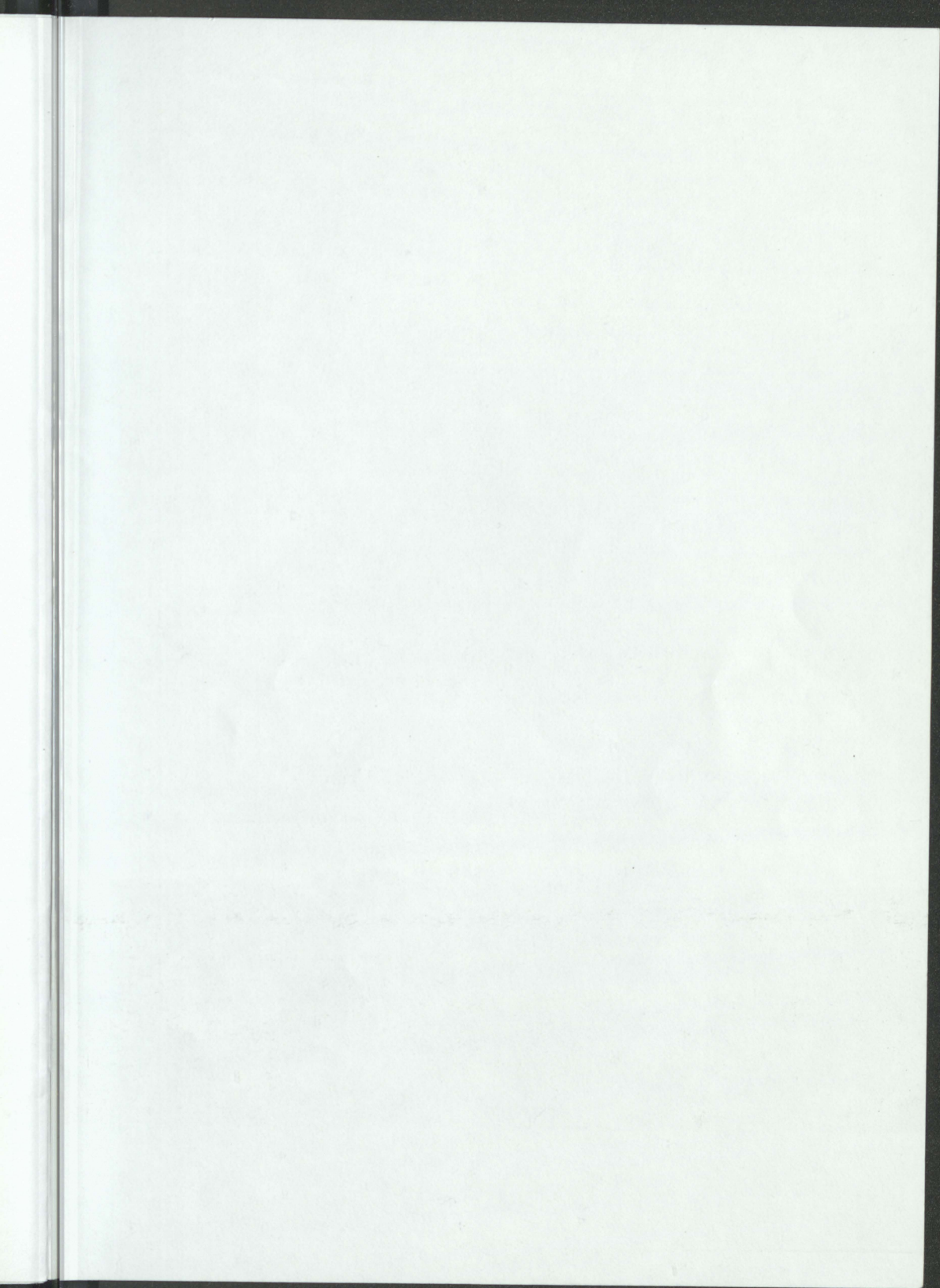
*Founded in 1996*

*For Timpani and Percussion in Annual Examinations*

**Antoine Bedewi**

**Mark Robinson**





## GUY WHALLEY ORGAN PRIZE

Presented annually to the student  
who has shown the greatest proficiency in  
the playing of the Organ.  
Presented by the Guy Whalley Trust.

## RONALD WILLIAM WHITE AWARD

Presented annually to the student  
who has shown the greatest proficiency in  
the playing of the Organ.  
Presented by the Ronald William White Trust.

## THE WILKINSON AWARD

Presented annually to the student  
who has shown the greatest proficiency in  
the playing of the Organ.  
Presented by the Wilkinson Trust.

## FRANCIS WEBB PRIZE

Presented annually to the student  
who has shown the greatest proficiency in  
the playing of the Organ.  
Presented by the Francis Webb Trust.

## EDWARD CYRIL PRIZES

Presented annually to the student  
who has shown the greatest proficiency in  
the playing of the Organ.  
Presented by the Edward Cyril Trust.

